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TO	CHIEF OF BASE, FRANKFURT		MARKED FOR INDEXING	
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FROM	CHIEF OF BASE, BERLIN		ONLY QUALIFIED HEADQUARTERS DESK CAN JUDGE INDEXING	
SUBJECT	OPERATIONAL/CALL/CABATON ② SELECTION OF ABSENDERS IN OPERATIONAL MAIL		ABSTRACT	
			MICROFILM	

ACTION REQUIRED - REFERENCES

- REF- A. FROB-3032, SEPT 62
 B. FROB-3034, SEPT 62
 C. EGBA-73330, 23 AUG 62

1. IN REFERENCES A AND B WHICH FORWARDED TWO NEW LETTER DROPS TO BOB WE NOTE THAT A COMPLETE NAME IN THE ABSENDER HAS BEEN SELECTED TO SERVE AS THE INDICATOR FOR OPERATIONAL MAIL. YOUR ATTENTION IS CALLED TO REFERENCE C, PARTICULARLY PARAGRAPH 4, IN WHICH WE EXPLAINED THAT EITHER AN INITIAL ALONE OR THE FIRST NAME ONLY IN THE ABSENDER IS MUCH MORE DESIRABLE THAN THE USE OF A COMPLETE NAME, BOTH FOR THE SECURITY OF THE DROP AND THE AGENT USING IT.

2. WE REALIZE THAT WITH UNWITTING DROPS IT IS NOT ALWAYS POSSIBLE TO MAKE A SELECTION OF THE ABSENDER OR PORTION OF THE ABSENDER AS THE INDICATOR FOR OPERATIONAL MAIL. HOWEVER, THIS PROBLEM WOULD NOT SEEM TO EXIST WITH WITTING DROPS, SOME OF WHOM MAY NEED NO INDICATOR AT ALL TO RECOGNIZE MAIL WHICH IS OF INTEREST TO US. IN THOSE CASES WHERE NO SPECIAL INDICATOR IS REQUIRED WE PREFER NOT TO USE ONE, LEAVING THE SELECTION OF THE ABSENDER UP TO THE AGENT WRITING TO THE DROP. IN ALL SUCH CASES THE AGENT WOULD BE INSTRUCTED BY US TO VARY THE NAME AND STREET ADDRESS IN THE ABSENDER OF EACH LETTER. WHEN IT IS NECESSARY THAT SOME INDICATOR BE USED TO IDENTIFY OPERATIONAL MAIL TO THE ACCOMMODATION ADDRESS, IT IS REQUESTED THAT EITHER AN INITIAL OR FIRST NAME ONLY BE USED, AND WHERE POSSIBLE, THAT BOB BE ALLOWED TO MAKE THE SELECTION OF THE OPERATIONAL INDICATOR FOR THOSE DROPS ASSIGNED EXCLUSIVELY TO BOB.

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3. IT IS PROBABLE THAT AT A FUTURE DATE WE WILL WISH TO
CHANGE THE ABSENDERS ASSIGNED TO THE TWO ADDRESSES FORWARDED IN
REFERENCES A AND B. WOULD YOU PLEASE ADVISE US IF THIS WILL BE
POSSIBLE AND OF ANY LIMITATIONS WHICH SHOULD BE OBSERVED IN THE
SELECTION OF NEW INDICATORS.

4. WE VERY MUCH APPRECIATE THE ASSISTANCE FOB HAS GIVEN BOB
IN THE PROCUREMENT AND SERVICING OF LETTER DROPS AND HAVE NO DESIRE
TO ADD FURTHER TO YOUR BURDENS IN THIS FIELD. WE CAN UNDERSTAND
THAT SOMETIMES EVEN WITH COMPLETELY WITTING DROPS THERE ARE LIMIT-
ATIONS WHICH GOVERN THE SELECTION OF THE INDICATORS IN THE ABSENDER.
IN ALL SUCH INSTANCES WE WILL BE GUIDED BY YOUR ADVICE AND INSTRUCT-
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